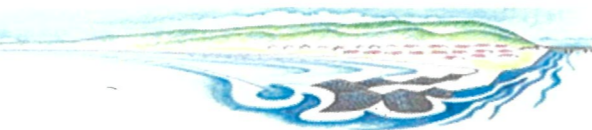


COBDEN SCHOOL

Newsletter 5 April 2024



Kia ora tatou

As we transition into the new season and prepare for the end of daylight savings, our wood pellet heating system will soon be warming our classrooms. The school has been bustling with ākonga engaged in a multitude of learning activities, both within our walls and beyond.

We kindly ask for your attention to our visitor guidelines, an essential part of ensuring the safety and security of everyone in our school community. Whether you're a parent, guardian, or any other visitor, please remember to check in at the school office upon arrival and state the purpose of your visit. Your cooperation in completing our online visitor register is immensely valuable, as it allows us to maintain accurate records of all individuals on-site, which is vital in case of any unforeseen circumstances.

Additionally, we are in the process of updating contact details for all our students. Please make sure to review, sign and return the updated contact information forms to the school. Having up-to-date information is crucial for the well-being and safety of our ākonga.

Thank you for your cooperation and ongoing support in making our school community safe and connected.

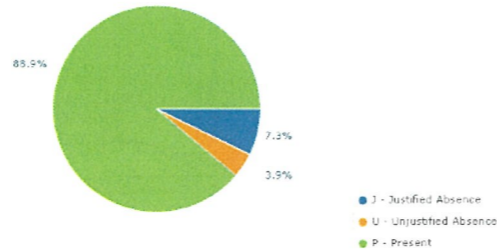
Nga mihi nui

Noula Markham
Principal

Why do kids need to be at school?

To keep learning.

Stevie Year 3



Important Dates 2024 - Also on the Skool Loop Events tab

Term 1

Thursday 11th April
Friday 12th April

Cobden School Cross Country - Jellyman Park
Last day of Term 1

Term 2

Monday 29th April
Friday 3rd May
Thursday 9th May
Thursday 16th May
Friday 17th May
Thursday 23rd May
Tuesday 28th May
Thursday 30th May
Friday 31st May
Thursday 6th June
Friday 14th June
Thursday 20th June
Friday 21st June
Tuesday 25th June
Monday 1st July
Tuesday 2nd July
Wednesday 3rd July
Thursday 4th July
Friday 5th July
Friday 5th July

Term 2 Begins
Gold Coin Mufti Day for the Asthma Foundation
2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm
Pink Shirt Day - Gold Coin Mufti Day - Stop Bullying Campaign
Teacher Only Day - School Closed for instruction.
2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm
Cobden School Board Meeting - 5.30pm Staffroom
Gold Coin Mufti Day for the Westpac Rescue Chopper
Teacher Only Day - School Closed for instruction.
2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm
Gold Coin Mufti Day for St Johns Ambulance
2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm
Gold Coin Wear Yellow for Harold - Life Education Mufti Day
Cobden School Board Meeting - 5.30pm Staffroom
2pm Early Closure - 3 Way Learning Conferences
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2.15pm Assembly in the Hall - School Shop open from 1.45pm
Gold Coin Mufti Day - Red Nose Day for Child Cancer
Last Day of Term 2

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PB4L - Positive Behaviour for Learning

Caring, Co-operation, Communication
This Terms focus - "Korero Mai - We Communicate"

Values Card Winners:

Term	Week	Winners
Term 1	Week 8	Jax & Narla
	Week 9	Daylan & Jakahn

Teachers are facilitating the development of expressing emotions in a suitable manner. All emotions are valid, yet it's important to consider the appropriate means of conveying them.

2024 Primary Hockey Festival

Well done to our Cobden School Hockey Team who participated in the 2024 Festival at the West Turf Hockey stadium on the 19th March.

Congratulations to Jax Palenski awarded "Most Valued Team Player" by the West Coast Hockey Association.



Cans for Good Mufti Day

We collected 111 cans for the Greymouth Food Bank. Thank you!



Mokomoko 1 Easter Symmetry

Cobden School on TVNZ's Good Sorts!

TVNZ Chanel 1 Good Sorts presenter Haydn Jones visited Cobden School last week to film the Mawhera Trades Academy "Trees for Change" group sharing their work planting some trees in our Haurora Garden.

